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## NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Policyholders of the New London County Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held at its Home Office, No. 39 Broadway, Norwich, Connecticut, on Tuesday, Jan. 20th, 1914, at 2 p. m. To consider the usual Underwriting and Financial Reports.

To elect four Directors to serve for a term of three years.

To transact such other business proper to come before said meeting.

W. F. LESTER, Secretary.

Jan 15

The Vaughn Foundry Co.

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Refractory Foundry. Attention

No Changes in Football Rules.

Boston, Jan. 14.—No material changes will be made in the football rules for next season, in the opinion of Edward K. Hall, chairman of the Intercollegiate football rules committee.

"I have heard and received no complaint against the present set of rules governing football," he said today. "As far as I know, no changes will be recommended at the meeting in New York. It seems to be the almost unanimous opinion of football men and of the intelligent football public, that the game at present is satisfactory."

"Until it has had a much more complete development it would hardly seem wise to consider any fundamental changes. Wherever and whenever there has been any discussion of the merits of the game as played last fall, there has been no suggestion that any basic change would be made in the rules."

Flag Officers' Defense Yacht.

Bristol, R. I., Jan. 14.—The so-called flag officers' defense yacht, that is being constructed here, will resemble to a marked degree the fifty footers which were raced last season by nine members of the New York Yacht club, it was learned tonight.

The new boat has easier and finer lines than the defense yacht, which would resemble the flag officers' yacht in many respects, and that the Cochran yacht, under construction at Newport, would be considerably larger than the other two.

Two New Opponents for Tigers.

Two new opponents appear in the list of contests for the Princeton football eleven next fall. The schedule for the season of 1914, as announced by Howard Froelich, manager of the team, shows that Lafayette and Williams have been substituted for Fordham and Holy Cross. There will be no mid-week games again this year and the big contests with Harvard and Yale will come a week apart at the end of the season.

The schedule follows: Sept. 26, Rutgers at Princeton; Oct. 3, Bucknell at Princeton; Oct. 10, Syracuse at Princeton; Oct. 17, Lafayette at Princeton; Oct. 24, Dartmouth at Princeton; Oct. 31, Williams at Princeton; Nov. 7, Harvard at Cambridge; Nov. 14, Yale at Princeton.

Boxer Dies of "Bleeding Heart."

Norwalk, Conn., Jan. 14.—Johnny Lomchak, well known as a lightweight boxer in this section of the state, died tonight in the Norwalk hospital from what the physicians say was a "bleeding heart."

He participated in many amateur bouts and it is believed that in one of these he received a blow over the heart which eventually led to his death. He had been in the hospital a week. Lomchak was 25 years old.

Laurel Hills vs. Rexalls.

Tonight the Laurel Hills of Norwich will play the Rexall five in Danville, and a fast game is looked for. Manager Ormrod of the Rexalls has strengthened his team and is out to clean up eastern Connecticut. He has signed up Bill Martin, the crack forward of Killingly High, who is one of the fastest high school players in the state.

Alexander Abetz, the Finn, and Frank Ehrler, the German, will wrestle in the main bout in Boston on Jan. 25.

## EMERALDS EASY FOR TAFTVILLE

Weakened Lineup of Visitors Proves No Match For Home

Team—Vickery is Individual Star of Game—Score Taftville 18, Willimantic 2 1-2.

The Taftville basketball team played circles around the Willimantic Emeralds in a game at the Willimantic gymnasium, Wednesday evening, winning by the score of 18 to 2 1-2. The visitors, without the services of three of their regulars, the Lewis brothers and Mack, and the team which went on the floor played a game of much lesser quality. The work of the home team was up to the usual high standard, with every man on the job. The game was somewhat disappointing to the crowd of about 400 fans who had expected to see a hard, close game with the regular Willimantic team in the field. The lineups and summary:

Taftville—Murphy, White, H. Vickery, C. Jackson, H. Stanley, L. Emeralds—Kierns, H. Burns, H. Higgins, C. W. Kierns, H. Cummings, L. Field goals—Vickery 6, White 3, Murphy 3, Jackson 3, Stanley 2, Higgins 2. Free throws—Murphy 2, Higgins 2. Time, 20 minutes halves; referee, H. Caron; scorer, Harold DeCelles.

## JOHNSON AND MORAN

## SIGN ARTICLES.

Will Go 20 Rounds for Championship of the World—Smoke to Receive \$35,000.

Paris, Jan. 14.—Jack Johnson, the colored heavyweight pugilist, and Frank Moran, the Pittsburgh heavyweight, signed articles for a round boxing bout for the championship of the world, to be fought on or before the day of the Paris Grand Prix race, during the first or second week of June, this year.

Johnson was handed a check for \$25,000, while Moran is guaranteed \$10,000.

The articles were signed after a long discussion of terms. Johnson raised numerous objections, one of which was his demand to be paid interest on the amount of the check, which is not payable until the day of the fight.

Johnson agreed not to fight before meeting Moran in the ring, and if the colored pugilist fails to fight he is to forfeit the \$25,000 except \$5,000 for his training expenses.

The signatures to the articles were finally affixed in the presence of many managers, promoters, boxing men and other spectators, and Johnson and Moran then drank each other's health in goblets of champagne. Three moving picture machines were working during the negotiations.

Charles McCarthy intimates that the group he represented is scintillated by the desire to see the heavyweight championship of the world taken by a white man. The group consists of three American millionaires residing in Paris, and does not include William Astor, Charles. The promoters are convinced that Moran will win.

Foster Signs for Two Years.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Eddie Foster, third baseman of the Washington American league baseball club, has signed a two year contract with the lo-

cal team. It had been rumored that he would join the Federal league. It is understood Foster will receive an increase in salary.

## Athletics Win from Red Sox.

The Athletics defeated the Red Sox in their match in the Willimantic duckpin league Wednesday night three straight points, giving them certainty of at least a tie for second place at the end of this week's bowling. Mulien of the winners set up a new single record, 150, in his last string, starting off with seven straight spares and narrowly missing a strike on the next ball. He also had high total, 345. The score:

	Red Sox.	
Murray	99	94
Beck	91	105
Racicot	75	95
Bernard	97	91
Gallagher	85	85
Totals	448	470

## Federal Offers Unsatisfactory to Sheekard.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 13.—James Sheekard tonight sent a telegram to John B. Barbour of the Pittsburgh Federal league club which stated that the terms which Sheekard was offered to manage the local club, were unsatisfactory. President Barbour declared no further overtures would be made to Sheekard.

## Harvard Beats Mass. Aggies.

Roston, Jan. 14.—Harvard defeated the hockey seven of the Massachusetts Agricultural college in an overtime game at the Arena tonight by 4 to 3. Each team scored two goals in the first period and each went scoreless in the second period, after which an extra session of ten minutes was ordered. In this time Harvard scored twice, while the Aggies could tally only once.

## Henry Pointer Dead.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 14.—Henry Pointer, 48 years old, merchant and bank president of Nashville, Tenn., died today. He used the horse for saddle purposes and finally gave him to a church at Spring Hill, Tenn., where he was buried. The church building was sold and the proceeds applied to the church's building fund.

## Stoddard Not a Candidate.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 14.—Major Louis E. Stoddard, of this city, who played No. 1 on the golf course in polo, announced tonight that he would not be a candidate for the team this year. Mr. Stoddard's wife died last month.

## Johnny Off on a Raid.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—John Evers, man-

ager of the club, left Chicago today without announcing his destination. It was said, however, that he would visit several cities and was expected to return with the contracts of several players.

## WOULD INCREASE INTEREST IN MARKSMANSHIP.

National Rifle Association Will Urge Congress to Send Team to Peru.

Washington, Jan. 14.—With state militia representatives and army and marine corps officers present, the board of directors of the National Rifle association in its annual meeting tonight discussed plans for extension and encouragement of marksmanship throughout the country.

In his annual report, Lieut. Albert S. Jones, secretary of the association, advocated construction of rifle ranges in all large cities.

He also proposed to send a team to Canada in August or September to compete for the Palma trophy, to complete a series of international matches.

It was announced that a new match will be held in April for the individual gallery shooting championship of the United States.

## BLACKBURN PAROLED.

Will Attempt to Secure Bout With Jack Johnson.

Philadelphia, Jan. 14.—Jack Blackburn, the negro pugilist, was paroled from the eastern penitentiary today after having served four and a half years of a 15-year sentence for killing Alonzo Polk, another negro. Blackburn is in good physical condition and is considering going to Paris to fight to secure a match with Jack Johnson.

Polk was shot by Blackburn during a quarrel at the latter's home in this city.

## Semi-Finals Reached at Pinehurst.

Pinehurst, N. C., Jan. 14.—The four players who enter tomorrow's semi-finals in the annual tournament here of the winter golf league are R. R. Mamlock of Fox Hills, L. I., who today defeated L. A. Hamilton of the country club, and J. R. Purves of Woodland, Mass., who won from J. J. Haden of Oakland, L. I. T. A. Ashley of Woodland, Mass., who took his match with W. J. MacDonald of the Clubhouse club of Chicago, and Harold Slater of Fox Hills, L. I., who eliminated Z. T. Miller of Dunwoody, N. Y.

Mamlock is matched with Purves and Ashley with Slater.

Mrs. Herbert L. Jilson of the Bethlehem Country club, New Hampshire, will send a large team of expert bowlers to the championship division from Mrs. M. B. Ormsbee of Brooklyn.

## Highlanders Get Jay Rogers.

New York, Jan. 14.—Jay Rogers, a young catcher who played with the Richmond Virginia league club last season, signed a contract today with the New York Americans. Rogers, who lives at Horneil, N. Y., is 22 years old. He was purchased by the New York club last August.

## High Signs with Tigers.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 14.—Hughie High, utility outfielder of the Detroit American league baseball club, today signed a 1914 contract with the team. He is the first player to sign with the Detroit club since the new form of contract was put into effect.

## COTTON.

New York, Jan. 14.—Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 12.70, Gulf 12.85; no sales.

Futures closed steady, January 12.25, March 12.35, May 12.37, July 12.32, October 11.65.

## MONEY.

New York, Jan. 14.—Call money steady, 2 1-2 to 3 per cent, ruling 2 1-2.

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## CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

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